AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

This listing of claims replaces all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

Claims 1-18 (canceled)

Claim 19 (new) A method of transferring data to a target device across a network via encapsulated packets wherein each of at least some of the packets comprise a split-ID.

Claim 20 (new) The method of claim 19 wherein the device is adapted to respond to requests for data and the device is adapted to send a only a single block of data per request.

Claim 21 (new) The method of claim 19 wherein the target device comprises a plurality of storage areas and the device associates a network address with each of the plurality of storage areas.

Claim 22 (new) The method of claim 21 wherein the split-ID comprises a network address associated with one of the storage areas of the target device, and the network address is also used to route the encapsulating packet to the target device.

Claim 23 (new) The method of claim 22 wherein the network address is an IP address located in a control portion of an encapsulating IP packet.

Claim 24 (new) The method of claim 23 wherein at least some of the packets comprise a command and a token where the token of a packet is used by the target device to determine whether to execute the command of the packet.